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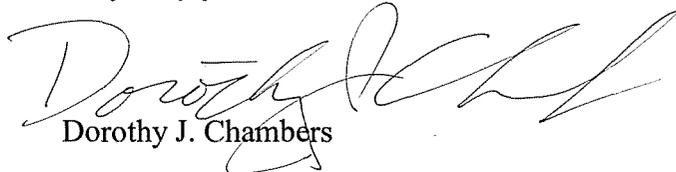
Ms. Beth O'Donnell
Executive Director
Public Service Commission
211 Sower Boulevard
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Frankfort, KY 40602

Re: dPi Teleconnect, L.L.C. v. BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.
KPSC 2005-00455

Dear Ms. O'Donnell:

Enclosed for filing in this case is Joint Motion to Abate of dPi and BellSouth, the parties in this case. Counsel for dPi has given BellSouth permission to file the Joint Motion on behalf of dPi. The original and ten (10) copies are enclosed.

Very truly yours,


Dorothy J. Chambers

Enclosures

cc: Parties of Record

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COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In Re:)	
)	
dPi TELECONNECT, L.L.C.)	
Complainant)	
v.)	No. 2005-00455
)	
BELLSOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC.)	
Defendant)	

JOINT MOTION TO ABATE

dPi Teleconnect, L.L.C. (“dPi”) and BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. (“BellSouth”), together the “Parties” in this case, through their respective counsel, submit this Joint Motion to Abate and respectfully request that the Kentucky Public Service Commission (the “Commission”) abate this proceeding. In support of this Joint Motion, the Parties state as follows.

A proceeding similar to this case presenting the same issues is being litigated by the Parties before the North Carolina Utilities Commission, Docket No. P-55, SUB 1577, *In the Matter of dPi Teleconnect, L.L.C., v. BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.* The Parties have reached an agreement to abate the proceeding in Kentucky and the other BellSouth states until 30 days after a dispositive order is issued in the North Carolina case.

The parties reserve all rights, including the right to file a subsequent motion to dismiss.

For the foregoing reasons, the Parties respectfully request this case be abated pending notice that a dispositive order has been issued in the North Carolina proceeding.

Respectfully submitted,



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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

It is hereby certified that a true and correct copy of the foregoing was served on the following individual by mailing a copy thereof, this 27th day of January, 2006.

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